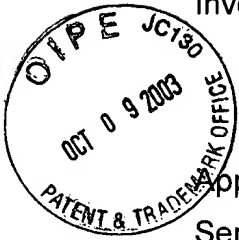


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2003, Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks.

AMENDMENT

In the Claims

Please amend Claim 3, and cancel Claims 7-24 as shown below.

1. (Original) A camouflage material comprising a base textile having a first side and a second side, said base textile comprising woven textured polyester yarns and having a camouflage pattern on the first side, and a coating including ethylene methyl acrylate and carbon black disposed on the second side of the base textile, wherein the base textile and the coating have a visible light transmission of about 100 μ A or less of a 380 μ A light source.